

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

MELVIN SMITH,  
Plaintiff,  
v.  
WELLS FARGO BANK, N.A., et al.,  
Defendants.

Case No. 15-cv-01779-DMR

## **SUA SPONTE JUDICIAL REFERRAL FOR PURPOSES OF DETERMINING RELATIONSHIP OF CASES**

Re: Dkt. No. 1

On April 20, 2015, Defendants removed this action to federal court. Pursuant to Civil Local Rule 3-12(c), the court *sua sponte* refers this case to Judge Gilliam to determine whether it is related to *Smith v. Wells Fargo*, 15-cv-639-HSG.

## **IT IS SO ORDERED.**

Dated: April 23, 2015

Donna M. Ryu  
United States Magistrate Judge

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